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***Always,** by the author of "Never." N. Y., G: W. Carleton & Co., 1884. S. pap., 25 c.

***American** and English corporation cases: a collection of all corporation cases, both private and municipal (excepting railway cases), decided in the courts of last resort in the United States, England and Canada; edited by Lawrence Lewis, jr., and J: H. Merrill. V. 1 [monthly parts, Jan.–March, 1884]. Northport, L. I., E: Thompson, 1884. 5+721 p. pap., *subs.*, $4.50.

***American** (The) and English railroad cases; edited by Lawrence Lewis, jr. V. 12. Northport, N. Y., E: Thompson, [1883–84]. 12+734 p. O. pap., $4.50.

Ayres, Anne. The life and work of William Augustus Muhlenberg. [*New cheap ed.*] N. Y., A. D. F. Randolph & Co., [1884]. 15+524 p. por. D. cl., $1.50.

First published in 1880, by Harper & Bros. A new edition unabridged, at a reduced price, to meet a demand for an edition for Sunday-schools and families in a less costly form than first issued.

Barnard, Helen Pearson. The last o' the Luscombs. Bost., Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc., [1884]. 3–437 p. il. S. cl., $1.25.

The last of the Luscombs is an elderly man, that drink and a wild life have separated from his family for thirty years. Through his interest in a little boy, that he helps escape from an almshouse in which he is working, he is led to repentance and amendment, and finally restored to his mother's love. The little boy's story is also interesting, his life on an island, where he cares for a lighthouse, etc., being well told.

Bible. Old Testament: The book of Psalms; tr. by the Rev. T. K. Cheyne. N.Y., Appleton, 1884. 27+256 p. T. (Parchment lib.) parchment, $1.25.

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***Billings,** Frank S. The relation of animal diseases to the public health, and their prevention. N. Y., Appleton, 1884. O. cl., $4.

***Bisbee,** Lewis H., *and* Simonds, J: C. The Board of Trade and the Produce Exchange: their history, methods and law; for the use of the legal profession, commission merchants, brokers and business men generally. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1884. 38+435 p. O. shp., $4.25.

Briggs, Helen P., *ed.* Sacred songs for little singers: a collection adapted for primary classes in Sabbath-schools. N. Y., Ward & Drummond, 1884. 3+63 p. sq. S. cl., 30 c.

A choice collection of songs and hymns, with music.

Bulkley, L. Duncan, *M.D.* Eczema and its management: a practical treatise based on the study of three thousand cases of the disease. *2d ed.* N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, [1884]. 12+344 p. O. cl.

The author in preparing the second edition of this work, has had continually in view the wants of the general practitioner, and has endeavored to render the subject still more clear, and the directions for treatment yet more practical. Many additions and alterations have been made and a greater part rewritten, and in the tables will be found the data from five hundred additional cases of eczema of which notes have been taken in private practice since the appearance of the first edition.

Carey, Rosa Nouchette. Not like other girls: a novel. Phil., J. B. Lippincott & Co., 1884. 4–463 p. S. cl., $1; pap., 25 c.

Scene of the story is laid in an English country town. Shows how bravely three fatherless girls who had lost their fortunes, set to work to support themselves by making dresses. There are plenty of amusing incidents and plenty of bright dialogue, making altogether a fairly entertaining book. By the author of "Nellie's Memories."

Charles, *Mrs.* E. The black ship, with other allegories and parables. [*New issue.*] N.Y., Rob. Carter & Bros., 1884. 2+235 p. il. S. cl., 50 c.

Charles, *Mrs.* E. The voice of Christian life in song; or, hymns and hymn-writers of many lands and ages. [*New issue.*] N. Y., Rob. Carter & Bros., [1884]. 5+303 p. S. cl., $1.

Clark, *Rev.* F. E. Our business boys; what eighty-three business men say. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 5–66 p. S. (Business boys' lib., no. 1.) cl., 60 c.

Summary of the opinions of a number of eminent business men as to the qualifications necessary in a young man to command success in business. There is a chapter on "Secrets of success," another on "Rocks of danger," and one, "The little virtues."

Clarke, James Freeman. The ideas of the Apostle Paul, translated into their modern equivalents. Bost., James R. Osgood & Co., 1884. 14+436 p. D. cl., $1.50.

"The purpose of this book is not critical nor exegetical. I do not propose to write another commentary on the Pauline letters, nor to examine accurately the different hypotheses in regard to them which have recently occupied so much attention. I would rather develop the radical convictions which were the source of Paul's power, and make intelligible to common readers the pivotal ideas around which his thoughts revolved. I wish to translate into the language of common life the great beliefs of his soul, which have been so long hidden by an obscure theological phraseology."—*Author's preface.* In an appendix is a list of the more important works upon Paul and his writings.

***Clay,** Bertha M. Beyond pardon: a novel. N. Y., G: W. Carleton & Co., 1884. D. cl. $1.50.

***Colorado.** General statutes of Colorado, 1883 declaration of independence, constitution of U. S. and of Colorado; [*also*] Code of civil procedure as amended by acts of General Assembly of 1879–1883; pub. by authority. Denver, Times Pub. House, 1883. 1429+139+79 p. O. shp., $9.

Crane W:, *and* Moses, Bernard. Politics: an introduction to the study of comparative constitutional law. N.Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1884. 5+305 p. D. cl., $1.50.

Chapters on the nation; the sovereign; the organs of the sovereign; the force of the nation; local powers; instinct as a factor of political organization; the political heritage

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Cuyler, Theodore L., *D.D.* Right to the point; from the writings of Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D.; selected by Mary Storrs Haynes; with an introduction by Rev. Newman Hall. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 266 p. D. (Spare minute ser., no. 5.) cl., $1.

Brief and telling passages from the writings and discourses of the author, one of the best-known and most eloquent of American clergymen. The selections cover a wide variety of subjects, to which a key is given in a good index. Dr. Hall gives a brief sketch of Dr. Cuyler in his introductory.

***Emerson,** Ellen Russell. Indian myths; or, legends, traditions, and symbols of the aborigines of America. Bost., James R. Osgood & Co., 1884. pl. and diagrams, O. cl., $5.

***Federal** (The) reporter. V. 18: Cases in the Circuit and District Courts of the United States, Nov., 1883–Feb., 1884; edited by Rob. Desty. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1884. 33 +995 p. O. pap., $5.

***Fighting** the good fight; or, the successful influence of well-doing, by H. F. E. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1884. 272 p. il. S. cl., $1.50.

***Fuller,** Albert W. Artistic houses in town and country. *New enl. ed.* Bost., James R. Osgood & Co., 1884. 76 pl., obl. F°. cl., $3.50.

***Gibson,** J: Science gleanings in many fields. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1884. 8+377 p. il. S. cl., $1.25.

Gilmore, J. H. The academic speaker. Rochester, N. Y., Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., 1883. 2–344 p. D. cl., $1.25.

This volume, which completes Gilmore's series of speakers, is designed for the highest grade of students, and comprises for the most part new pieces, and in every instance speakable pieces. Prof. Gilmore has compiled this collection with great care, many of the pieces having been used by his own students, and are to be found in no other speaker. Like the "Intermediate," it contains a list of familiar pieces, suitable for advanced students, with reference to some other collection in which they may be found.

Harris, Amanda B. Pleasant authors for young folks. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 2–188 p. por. il. D. (Little biographies, 1st ser.) cl., $1.

Brings together brief biographies of twelve famous writers; written in a simple easy style to attract and please young readers, and interspersed with some charming thoughts about the authors themselves, and the books they have written. At the end of each sketch there is a list of the author's best works for the guidance of youthful readers. The sketches include the names of Scott, Leigh Hunt, Charles Lamb, John Ruskin, Charlotte Brontë, Mrs. Mulock-Craik, George MacDonald, Dr. John Brown, Charles Kingsley, Gilbert White, Mary Russell Mitford and Jane Austen.

Haweis, H. R. My musical memories. N.Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1884. 2–283 p. D. (Standard lib., no. 6.) cl., $1; pap., 25 c.

A great lover of music and a fine violinist himself, Mr. Haweis discourses enthusiastically upon the influence of music and the great pleasure it bestows upon the hearer. He also gives some reminiscences of his early life and the famous people he has met—Paganini, Wagner, Liszt, etc. The performance of "Parsifal" at Bayreuth is described at length in a most captivating manner, and a chapter is devoted to "Old violins" and Stradivarius.

Herzog-Schaff. A religious encyclopædia; or, dictionary of Biblical, historical, doctrinal and practical theology; based on the *Real-Encyclopädie* of Herzog, Plitt and Hauck; ed. by Philip Schaff, D.D., Rev. S. A. Jackson, and Rev. D. S. Schaff. In 3 v. V. 3. N.Y., Funk & Wagnalls, [1884]. 20+1715–2631 p. maps, Q. *subs.*, cl., $6; shp., $7.50; hf. mor., $9; full mor., $12.

This volume concludes the "Religious Encyclopædia" in advance of the German original. It goes from "Pacca to Zwingli," has an appendix of additional articles, a number of maps, an analysis of contents, and a pronouncing vocabulary of proper names in the "Encyclopædia;" also a list of writers to the whole work and a full index to this volume. The revised edition of Herzog has so far reached only the thirteenth volume, to article "Ring," but through the kindness of the German editor and publisher, Dr. Schaff has had the benefit of several advanced sheets of letter S.; for the remaining titles the last seven volumes of the first edition have been used. The best articles, which will be retained in the new edition, have been reproduced, condensed and supplemented to date by competent hands. Fully one half of the volume, however, is made up of original matter from English and American scholars. Dr. Schaff states in his preface that the three volumes of this work are equivalent in size to about seven or eight volumes of the German work on which it is based. He says the aim has been "to put the reader in possession of the substance of Herzog, with such additional information as the English reader needs, and cannot expect from a German work written exclusively for German readers." The value and importance of this great work have already been set forth in notices of the earlier volumes.

Hewett, Edwin C. A treatise on pedagogy for young teachers. Cin., Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., [1884]. 228 p. D. cl.

The author, President of the Illinois State Normal University, embodies in this volume the substance of his instruction to many successive classes in normal schools, and the substance of numerous addresses before teachers' institutes and other educational meetings. The book is "not" one "of methods," it is said, "although a few methods will be found in it." Its aim is rather to present, in a brief and compact form, "such principles as underlie and give form to all methods worthy of attention."

***High,** Jas. L. Treatise on extraordinary legal remedies, embracing mandamus, quo warranto and prohibition. *2d ed.* Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1884. 44+737 p. O. shp., $6.50.

Hunt, Theodore W. The principles of written discourse. N. Y., A. C. Armstrong & Son, 1884. 11+362 p. D. cl., *net*, $1.

Prepared for use in higher collegiate classes. Assumes a familiarity on the student's part with some elementary manual, as Hart, Haven, Jameson or Kellogg. The title was purposely chosen, as the book is designed to be philosophic and suggestive rather than technical or formal. The introduction treats of "Study of discourse in ancient times," "Causes of its decline," "Methods of its revival," "Objects of present treatise," and "Limits and relations of the subject." The body of the book is devoted to "Definition of discourse," and is divided into two parts—the first considering the parts, the material and media, processes and laws of discourse; the second the qualities and forms of discourse. The second part is of special interest to the general reader. Completed with a brief bibliography of the subject, grouped as "Manuals and treatises," "Special discussions" and "Miscellaneous criticisms and essays."

***Illinois.** *Appellate Courts.* Reports, by Ja. B. Bradwell. V. 13: 1883–84. Chic., Chic. Legal News Co., 1884. 4+728 p. O. shp., $3.50.

***Indiana.** *Supreme Court.* Reports, by Francis M. Dice, off. rep. V. 89, Cases decided May term, 1883. Indianapolis, Carlon & Hollenbeck, 1884. 18+649 p. O. shp., $4.50.

***Iowa.** *Supreme Court.* Reports, by E. C. Ebersole, rep. V. 2, being v. 60 of the series [1882–83]. N. Y. and Albany, Banks & Bros., 1884. 821 p. O., shp., $5.

***Irving,** Kate. Clear light from the spirit world. N. Y., G: W. Carleton & Co., 1884. D. cl., $1.25.

***Keltie,** J. Scott, *ed.* Statesman's year-book: statistical and historical annual of the states of the civilized world, for 1884. (21st annual publication.) N. Y., Macmillan, 1884. 23+867 p. D. cl., $3.

***Keynes,** J: Neville. Studies and exercises in formal logic, including a generalization of logical processes in their application to complex inferences. N. Y., Macmillan, 1884. 21+414 p. D. cl., *net*, $3.

King, C: Kitty's conquest. Phil., J. B. Lippincott & Co., 1884. 2-302 p. D. cl., $1.

A novel, by the author of "The Colonel's daughter." The story was mainly written some twelve years ago, when the incidents which it narrates occurred. It is a love story, having for a hero a young West Point graduate, and deals largely with life in the U. S. Army. For a background, the author has taken the period in the South, especially New Orleans, just after the war, with the many Ku-Klux outrages and political troubles.

***Lonking,** Jos. Light to the path; a compend of Bible teachings concerning God and the creation, fall and restoration of man. N. Y., Phillips & Hunt, 1884. 126 p. S. cl., 25 c. (*corr. title.*)

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Meyer, Heinrich August Wilhelm. Critical and exegetical hand-book to the epistle to the Romans; tr. from the 5th ed. of the German by Rev. J: C. Moore and Rev. Edwin Johnson; the translation rev. and ed. by W: P. Dickson, D.D.; with a preface and supplementary notes to the American ed., by Timothy Dwight. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1884. 24+588 p. O. cl., $3.

Meyer's "Commentary," the first volume of which was issued in 1832, the whole work being subjected since to many revisions and having many additions made to it, is regarded by theologians and scholars as one of the best critical and exegetical commentaries on the New Testament ever published. The special features of the work are its soundness and clearness on orthodox matter, the writer being opposed to the "destructive" school, and its independence and fairness—opinions *pro and con*, giving the views of leading authors on the principal points of conflicting interpretations, being offered in a multitude of instances, so that the reader may form an opinion for himself. The present new American edition will contain all the matter of the last revised German edition, and much additional matter supplied by the American editors, all being compared with the new German edition revised by Weiss; its value will be greatly enhanced by new matter in the way of enlarging and confirming the author's statements, modifying some of his conclusions, and shedding the light of the latest investigations on the true interpretation of the text; also a new and very complete index. Contains a list (9 p.) of the exegetical literature of the epistle.

***Michigan.** *Supreme Court.* Michigan reports. Cases from Jan. 9 to July 14, 1874, by Hoyt Post, state rep. *2d ed.*, annotated by J: L. Stoddard. V. 17, being v. 27 of the series. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1883. 24+740 p. O. shp., $3.50.

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Moinaux, Jules. Les deux sourds: comédie en un acte. *Nouvelle édition.* N. Y., W: R. Jenkins, 1884. 37 p. D. (Théâtre contemporain, no. 9.) pap., 25 c.

***New Hampshire.** Laws of the State of New Hampshire, passed June session, 1883. Concord, P. B. Cogswell, public printer, 1883. 222 p. O. shp., $1.25.

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The publication closes with this volume. V. 1-5, shp., $7.

***New York.** New court rules in force March 1, 1884: the general rules of practice of the courts of record, with the rules of the Court of Appeals; with notes and annotations by G: Bliss. *New ed.*, ed. and annotated by G: A. Clement. N. Y., Baker, Voorhis & Co., 1884. 173 p. O. cl., $1.50.

***New York.** Second annual supplement to Rapalje's N. Y. annotation pad, containing all the criticisms of previous cases to be found in the opinions pub. during 1883, by Stewart Rapalje. Jersey City, N. J., F. D. Linn & Co., 1884. 71 l. O. pap., $1.50.

***North Carolina.** *Supreme Court.* Reports. V. 89: October term, 1883, rep. by T: S. Kenan (v. 14). Raleigh, Ashe & Gatling, state printers, 1884. 13+676 p. O. shp., $3.

Nourse, J. E., *ed.* American explorations in the ice zones; prepared chiefly from official sources. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 3-578 p. maps and il. O. cl., $3.50.

The publishers' object in issuing this volume is to bring within the reach of all, but especially of the young, the labors of each American explorer. The work, however, is one that appeals to readers generally, as it offers in a small space, a condensed narrative of all the various Arctic expeditions sent out by American enterprise, and only to be found in many bulky volumes. The book opens with brief notices of the expedition for the northwest passage under Sir John Franklin, followed by histories of the expeditions of DeHaven, Kane, Rodgers, Hayes, Hall, Schwatka and De Long; the relief voyages for the *Jeannette* by the U. S. steamers *Corwin*, *Rodgers*, and *Alliance*; the cruises of Captains Long and Raynor of the merchant service. To these is added a notice of the first expedition sent out by the United States for scientific purposes, that of 1838-42, under Lieut. (late Admiral) Wilkes. Closes with a statement of the positions and objects of the Arctic observers under the U. S. Signal Service. In an appendix is a bibliographical index to the chief publications on polar explorations from the date of the revival of Arctic exploration.

Ogden, H: Dr. Barringford's school; or, the long holiday. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1884. 2-192 p. S. cl., $1.

A quaintly told story of the year 1749, for young readers. A brig is lying at anchor in the harbor of Penzance, England, with her cargo on board and everything ready for sailing the next day to Lisbon. By an odd train of circumstances she is left without any one on board of her but the captain's little daughter, when the twenty-seven boys of Dr. Barringford's school come to say farewell. A mischievous boy unfastens the brig from her moorings, and the whole school and the child float out to sea. The subsequent voyage made in fear and utter ignorance, is the chief episode. It has a pleasant and a dark side, and illustrates character development under exceptional circumstances. The brig finally brings up in New York harbor, in colonial days; the boys' adventures continue—they sell the captain's cargo for three times its value, all return home again, and everything

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Ploetz, Carl. Epitome of ancient, mediæval and modern history; tr., with extensive additions, by W: H. Tillinghast. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1884. 11+618 p. D. cl., $3.

Prof. Dr. Carl Ploetz is well known in Germany as a veteran teacher, and the author of a number of educational works having a high reputation. One of the most useful is the present work, a concise and accurate general history, embracing the salient features in the records of all nations and peoples of which any account has come down to us. The translator has greatly enlarged the book in all its divisions, with the hope of increasing its general usefulness, and of giving it special value in this country. The distinguishing feature of the "Epitome" is the arrangement whereby a brief connected narrative is accompanied by a clear, well-graduated chronology which emphasizes the sequence of events without breaking up the story or fatiguing the mind. Italics and two sizes of black type mark and distinguish events according to their relative importance. The index is unusually full.

Porter, Rose, *comp.* Green pastures for the shepherd's lambs; compiled and arranged by Rose Porter. N. Y., A. D. F. Randolph & Co., [1884]. 2–72 p. sq. Fe. cl., 35 c.

Bible texts and verses for the thirty-one days of a month.

***Reid,** Mayne. The lone ranch: a novel. N. Y., G: W. Carleton & Co., 1884. D. cl., $1.50.

***Reporter** (The): containing decisions of the Supreme and Circuit Courts of the United States, courts of last resort in the several states and English and Irish courts, edited by Howard Ellis. V. 16: July–Dec., 1883. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1883. 9+868 p. O. pap., *subs.*, $5.

Romanes, G: J: Mental evolution in animals; with a posthumous essay on instinct by C: Darwin. N. Y., Appleton, 1884. 2+411 p. D. cl., $2.

"Animal intelligence," by the same author (issued in the "International science series"), was the first instalment of this work. It is a compendium of facts relating to animal intelligence, and though the necessary basis for the present essay is in itself a separate and distinct treatise. The present work is restricted to a consideration of mental evolution in animals only, and to the psychology as distinguished from the philosophy of the subject. The probable history of mental evolution is traced in a scientific manner, and the causes which have determined it are inquired into. Where observation fails the writer, he resorts to inference. The essay on "Instinct" was given to Mr. Romanes by Mr. Darwin along with other MSS. to use as he chose in his works on mental evolution. It was intended originally by Mr. Darwin as a chapter for the "Origin of species," but was afterward suppressed for the sake of condensation. A very full analytical index.

Roosevelt, Rob. Barnwell. The game fish of the Northern States and British Provinces; with an account of the salmon and sea-trout fishing of Canada and New Brunswick, together with simple directions for tying artificial flies, etc. [*New ed.*] N.Y., Orange Judd Co., 1884. 322 p. por. and il. D. cl., $2.

A great deal of fresh matter has been added to the original text, and the information and directions have been brought down to the present time. The portion relating to the propagation of fish has been entirely remodelled and rewritten, so that nothing of the original matter has been left. Mr. Roosevelt is an enthusiastic sportsman and the author of several other works on fishing—"Superior fishing," "The game birds of the North," etc.

Russell, W. Clark. Jack's courtship: a sailor's yarn of love and shipwreck. N. Y., Harper, 1884. 132 p. Q. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., no. 372.) pap., 25c.

There is a strong family likeness in the plots of Mr. Russell's stories of the sea. They all conclude with a long voyage and a shipwreck, however they may begin. In this book, as graphic and as full of delightful details of life on the ocean as anything he has written, the voyage is occasioned by a stern father coming between two lovers. To separate them he sends his daughter to Australia under the care of a maiden aunt, and the lover and hero takes passage on the same ship, to be near his sweetheart. The long voyage, ending in a shipwreck, and life for a short period on a desert island, are told without any sparing of words, and will no doubt prove delightful reading to the many admirers of the "Wreck of the Grosvenor."

Safford, Mary J., *M.D*, *and* Allen, Mary E. Health and strength for girls. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 4–88 p. S. cl., 60 c.

Dr. Safford is well known in Boston as one of the faculty of the Boston University and as a high authority on all things pertaining to hygienic science. Miss Allen is superintendent of the Boston Ladies' and Children's Gymnasium. In this hand-book the first author shows why gymnastic training is absolutely necessary in a multitude of cases to the preservation or regaining of health, while the second explains the practical methods by which the desired results are attained. The instruction is given in a specially interesting manner.

Scripture (The) birthday-book. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 2+247 p. il. T. cl., $1.

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Seaver, Edwin P., *and* Walton, G: A., *comp.* Logarithmic and trigonometric tables; with brief explanations of their use. Phil., J. H. Butler, [1884]. 2–160 p. D. (The Franklin mathematical ser.) flex. cl., 60 c.

The school edition of Dr. Schlömilch's excellent five-place tables has served for the most part as a model for these tables. The plate-proofs were then read with the tables of Dr. E. F. August and again with those of F. G. Gauss, no pains being spared to secure correctness. The type is large and clear, the lines open, and the side-helps presented in a clear and simple form.

Smith, Justin, *D.D.* Commentary on the Revelation, by Justin A. Smith, D.D, in consultation with Ja. Robinson Boise, D.D. Phil., American Baptist Pub. Soc., [1884]. 317 p. il. O. cl., $2.

The scheme of interpretation adopted in the present work "is in some measure eclectic, and still to a considerable extent independent." The writer has aimed "to combine what seemed susceptible of use and safe to adopt in the commentaries, especially of Ellicott, Alford and Lang, with much use in matters of critical exegesis of Düsterdieck and Stuart."

***South Carolina.** *Supreme Court.* Reports. V. 19: Nov. term, 1882, and April term, 1883, by Robt. W. Shand, state rep. Jersey City, N. J., F: D. Linn & Co., 1884. 19+638 p. O. shp., $6.

Stockwell, *Mrs.* M. J., *comp.* What shall we name it? a dictionary of baptismal names for children, containing 2000 names with their meaning and the countries from which they originated. N. Y., J: C. Stockwell, [1884]. 46 p. D. pap., 25 c.

Stories by American authors, nos. 1 and 2. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1884. 177; 198 p. S. cl., *ea.* 50 c.

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Story of Nala and Damayanti: an Indian legend, preserved in the archives of Hindostan; translated from the Sanskrit into English prose, to which is added explanatory notes by Pandita Jaganatha. St. Louis, J: Burns, [1884]. 2-79 p. D. pap., 25 c.

Supplement to the catalogue of the library of the late Hon. H: C. Murphy, of Brooklyn, L. I., containing prices per lot, sold March 3, 1884, and following days. Pittsburgh, Pa., Bookmart Pub. Co., [1884]. 8 p. O. pap., $1.

Teaching of the twelve apostles recently discovered and published by Philotheos Bryennios, Metropolitan of Nicomedia; ed., with a translation, introduction, and notes, by Roswell D. Hitchcock and Francis Brown. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1884. 6+37 p. O. cl., 75 c.; pap., 50 c.

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***United States.** *Patent-Office.* Decisions of the Commissioner of Patents for the year 1882, and of U. S. courts in patent cases. Wash., D. C., Gov't Print. Office, 1883. 9+594 p. O. pap., $1.50.

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Van Derval, Johannes. Far from home: from the German by Kathrine Hamilton. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1884]. 4-250 p. D. (V. I. F. ser.) cl., $1.25.

The adventures of a young German girl, the daughter of a retired army officer, who accepts a situation in Malaga, Spain, as governess to two little girls. Her journey from Dernberg to England and thence to Spain is described, and also the numerous admirers that her very great beauty creates. Arrived in Spain she at once captures the heart of the brother of her employer, a man of wealth and position, and her story is brought to a rapid conclusion with a wonderful wedding.

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***Western** (The) jurist, 1883, [monthly, Jan.-Dec.,] ed. by Nathaniel B. Raymond. V. 17. Des Moines, Mills & Co., 1883. 23+584 p. O. pap., *subs.*, $5.

Discontinued with this volume. United with *The American Law Review.*

***Wharton,** Francis. Commentaries on law: embracing chapters on the nature, the source, and the history of law; on international law, public and private, and on constitutional and statutory law. Phil., Kay & Bro., 1884. 856 p. O. shp., $6.

White, Ten Eyck. The lakeside musings; originally published in the Chicago *Tribune.* Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1884. 2-283 p. D. cl., $1.50.

A collection of humorous novelettes, sketches, and verses that have appeared during the past two years in the Chicago *Tribune* under the caption "Lakeside musings." Their originality and strong, broad humor without vulgarity or coarseness, have recommended them to a large class of readers, who will in turn be glad to pass them on in this attractive book form to new readers.

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Wife (The) of Monte Cristo; being the continuation of Alexander Dumas's novel of "The Count of Monte Cristo." Phil., T. B. Peterson & Bros., [1884]. 17-492 p. sq. S. pap., 75 c.

A novel which must not be mistaken as being one of Dumas's works. It is by an anonymous writer and professes to continue the story of "Monte Cristo," and is full of excitement and adventure, thrilling incidents, etc. The Count himself, Haydee, Mercedes, Benedetto, once the false Prince Cavalcanti, Madame Danglars, Valentine de Villefort, and other well-known personages figure very prominently in the narrative, and Monte Cristo's son, Esperance, is as brave a little hero as ever pen described.

Wilkinson, W: Cleaver. The dance of modern society. [*Rev. ed.*] N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1884. 78 p. D. cl., 60 c.

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Wright, Julia McNair. A wife hard won: a love story. Phil., J. B. Lippincott & Co., 1884. 2-320 p. D. cl., $1.

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Stories by American authors, nos. 1 and 2.....*ea.* 50
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J. C. STOCKWELL, N. Y.

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N. Y. monthly law bulletin, v. 5, *subs*.... 1.50

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W. Va., Supreme Court of Appeals reports, v. 20 and 21.....*ea.* 4.50

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TIMES PUB. HOUSE, Denver, Col.

Colorado, General statutes, 1883..... 9.00

VAN ANTWERP, BRAGG & CO., Cin.

Hewett, Treatise on pedagogy.

WARD & DRUMMOND, N. Y.

Briggs, Sacred songs..... 30

WATCHMAN AND JOURNAL PRESS, Montpelier, Vt.

Vermont, Supreme Court reports, v. 55... 3.75

REES WELSH & CO., Phila.

Pennsylvania, Penal code, v. 2..... 6.00

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Federal reporter, v. 18..... 5.00
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The Publishers' Weekly.

FOUNDED BY F. LEYPOLDT.

APRIL 12, 1884.

PUBLISHERS are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, to insure correctness in the final entry.

The trade are invited to send "Communications" to the editor on any topic of interest to the trade, and as to which an interchange of opinion is desirable. Also, matter for "Notes and Queries" gratefully received.

In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY.

IT is with a sad sense of responsibility to him who has gone that his former editorial associate takes up the pen which has fallen from the hand of Frederick Leypoldt. The single purpose in the conduct of the WEEKLY will be to continue the work in the spirit of its founder, and it is with the hope that, apart from the vigorous personality evident in all of Mr. Leypoldt's own work, its readers and patrons will observe no change in its tone and usefulness, that the task is resumed by the writer. The connection has been so long and close, extending from the first number of the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, and broken only by the necessary separation involved in absence abroad, that it is hoped this may be fully possible. No change of editorial principle or policy took place in the previous re-arrangements of the editorial conduct of the WEEKLY caused by the circumstance referred to, and no change will take place now. Especially, THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY will endeavor, as always, honestly and without fear or favor, to represent the whole trade, and not the interest of any individual house, or group, or class, whether of publishers or booksellers.

The excellent organization of the office as left by Mr. Leypoldt enables the writer to resume a business responsibility and editorial supervision which otherwise might not be possible to him. Mrs. Leypoldt will continue her co-operation in connection with the WEEKLY as well as with the other publications. The managing editorship of the WEEKLY has long been in the hands of Mr. Adolph Growoll, whose faithful and admirable workmanship is, we trust, appreciated by the trade. The Weekly Record continues in charge of Miss M. M. Monachesi, whose careful work, especially in the descriptive notes, has made it what it is. Upon Mr. G. D. T. Rouse, who came into Mr. Leypoldt's service as a lad, he had long leaned as a capable business manager, and every one in the trade knows Mr. W. A. Stewart as the right hand of this office in its relation to its advertising patrons, and appreciatively forgives the pertinacity with which it is his business to approach them.

With the help of this staff and of the other capable workers associated with the office, and with the continued good-will of the trade—so long as the WEEKLY by impartiality and usefulness continues to deserve it—the undersigned hopes to find it possible, within the limited time he can give to the work, to provide that the WEEKLY shall do good service for the book-trade and the interest of all connected with it, and that a satisfactory furture shall be assured to the business left by Mr. Leypoldt and to his family. That his loss is irreparable cannot be felt more strongly than by the associate upon whom this responsibility has fallen. R. R. BOWKER.

IN the next issue of the WEEKLY we hope to be able to lay before the trade the full particulars as to the progress of the work on the SUPPLEMENT to the AMERICAN CATALOGE, which it is intended to push forward to completion as rapidly as possible. This was a work peculiarly near to Mr. Leypoldt's heart, and it is fitting that it should be completed in the interest of his estate and for the benefit of his family. The trade will be asked to assure the work by their advance subscriptions, and we feel assured of their general and hearty response.

A RECENT letter from Messrs. Roberts Brothers provokes an impatient reply from Mr. Lathrop, as secretary of the American Copyright League, in which he says, "I have not leisure to discuss all the points raised by various opponents of international copyright who, while professing to favor it, have so untiringly labored to throw the whole question into confusion; and Messrs. Roberts Brothers' otherwise pointless note ranks those gentlemen among such opponents." We feel compelled both to regret in general the tone assumed by Mr. Lathrop and to point out in particular that if any publishers can be permitted to come into court among authors with clean hands on this question, it is a firm which was one of the first and has been one of the most steadfast in practically recognizing the rights of foreign authors by paying the equivalent of copyright. Messrs. Roberts Brothers' record on this score is most creditable—as witness their relations with Miss Ingelow. As to the main point of issue, it is not so easy a question as Mr. Lathrop's sweeping method implies: those who have carefully studied copyright in England know that there is no question on which there is more doubt,

PUBLISHERS' OPINIONS ON INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT.

THE following opinions of publishers in regard to international copyright, with particular reference to the Dorsheimer bill, were received too late for publication in our issue for March 29. We herewith repeat the questions—the answers are numbered accordingly:

1. Do you favor international copyright?
2. Do you believe that manufacture in America should be an essential part of an international copyright grant?
3. Do you favor the Dorsheimer bill as it stands amended? (*See* PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, Feb. 16, 1884.)
4. If not, would you favor the Dorsheimer bill should a manufacturing clause be inserted?

G. W. CARLETON, NEW YORK.

1. I *do* favor international copyright, decidedly and emphatically!

1. I do *not;* on the contrary, I believe the question of manufacture has nothing whatever to do with an author's right in his own property.

Remarks.—I am in favor of the Dorsheimer bill, or any other *honest* bill that is not hampered and fettered with amendments introduced *ostensibly* for the benefit of the public, but *really* for the individual benefit of those who have "axes to grind" of their *own!*

I believe that all authors should have complete control in the disposition of the product of their own brain-work and labor in every country, subject to no restrictions whatever; and although it is not for my own interest as a book publisher to make so sweeping a statement, I sympathize so thoroughly with the unprotected author in this matter of international copyright, that I desire to put myself on record as taking his part in the adjustment of a controversy that I begin to believe will *never* be settled during my lifetime.

WILLIAM S. GOTTSBERGER, NEW YORK.

In reply to your circular I beg to say that I am in favor of the Dorsheimer international copyright bill or any other bill that will protect the rights of American and foreign authors and put an end to "piracy."

JOHN E. POTTER & CO., PHILADELPHIA.

1. Yes.
2. We should prefer it.
3. Yes.
4. We should like it better with the manufacturing clause inserted.

Remarks.—The Dorsheimer bill covers the ground very fairly, and if the manufacturing clause is inserted it will meet with our cordial approval.

RAND, MCNALLY & CO., CHICAGO.

1. Yes.
2. Yes.

A WORD FROM A BOOKSELLER.

To Editor of Publishers' Weekly.

SIR: With the exception of the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, Mr. Randolph is the first of whom I know who has thought of the bookseller or his interests in a copyright law. By bookseller I mean the country bookseller. If I may be permitted to do so through the WEEKLY, I would suggest to Mr. Randolph that the way to show us our vital interest is for the publishers to ask if we have any opinions. Being well aware that we are but book *sellers* and not book men, and that we are not supposed to know what we sell, we naurally feel a hesitation about giving an opinion, even if we are so foolish as to have one. Respectfully, C. B.

INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT.

A LETTER FROM G. P. LATHROP.

From the Tribune, Mar. 29.

SIR: Messrs. Roberts Brothers, Boston, publishers, in a note which you recently printed, contend that, contrary to a statement made by me, American authors may obtain English copyright by first publication in Great Britain, even if not resident within the British dominions. I have not leisure to discuss all the points raised by various opponents of international copyright who, while professing to favor it, have so untiringly labored to throw the whole question into confusion; and Messrs. Roberts Brothers' otherwise pointless note ranks those gentlemen among such opponents. But it should be pointed out that their statement is quite misleading. Mr. E. S. Drone, whose authority is undisputed, published his work on copyright in 1879, and in it he gives Jefferys *vs.* Boosey (4 H. L. C. 815) as the ruling authority upon the non-resident foreigner's right in Great Britain. On the trial of that case the House of Lords—to use Drone's language—"in pronouncing the most important copyright dercision since Lord Mansfield's time, held that English copyright would not vest in the work of a foreign author resident abroad." I doubt the correctness of Messrs. Roberts Brothers' intimation that supposed English copyrights obtained by American authors not within the British dominions at the time of first publication have never been disputed. One thing is perfectly certain, as many American authors can attest—*viz.*, that a foreigner's claim to copyright by mere prior publication is still considered so open to question in England that English publishers make it a standing and very effectual excuse for offering the lowest terms, or no terms at all, to American authors who publish first in England, but are not at the time on English territory.

Again, even if under the Messrs. Roberts' roseate view the American author persuades himself that he can procure copyright in England by simple prior publication (or, for that matter, even by a sojourn on British ground), it has been settled that he cannot thus obtain Canadian copyright; and the injury to which he is exposed by Canadian reprints smuggled across the border is often very great. At the very best, the obligation to publish first in England creates an inconvenience so great as to prevent, in many cases, any attempt at securing copyright there. The American dramatist, also, is obliged to go to great expense, in order to get his work performed first in England. Intelligent persons ought to be ashamed to reiterate the shabby and insincere assertion that American authors are already well enough provided for in England.

Another correspondent, "Consistency," asks why American authors do not press upon Congress the rights of foreign authors *unconditionally?* The only country, I believe, which grants such rights unconditionally is Spain. While the policy of all other European States continues to rest on a principle of reciprocity, it is almost too

sanguine to expect that this country will follow the example of Spain. The American Copyright League (now comprising 650 members, and adequately representing American authorship) has supported Mr. Dorsheimer's bill because it is the fairest, justest, and most enlightened measure available at the present time, and is the only one which, in the whole fifty years' history of the international copyright discussion, has ever got so far as to obtain a place on the House calendar. Very respectfully,

G. P. LATHROP,
Secretary American Copyright League.

NEW YORK, March 24, 1884.

OBITUARY.

HENRY BAINBRIDGE.

HENRY BAINBRIDGE, senior member of the firm of Henry Bainbridge & Co., died at his residence in Brooklyn, March 29. Henry Bainbridge, whose name is perhaps one of the best known in connection with the American stationery trade, was born at Huddersfield, Yorkshire, England, June 9, 1823, and was consequently sixty-one years old when he died. He came to this country from England in 1849, and took a position in the store of his brother Richard. In 1859, a year after his brother's failure, he started for himself at No. 48 John Street, purchasing the remainder of the stock of the late firm of R. Bainbridge & Co., after the settlement. In 1861 Mr. Bainbridge removed his business to 99 and 101 William Street, where it has ever since remained, and here, in 1863, he was joined by his brother John George, who had previously been with the house of R. Bainbridge & Co., and the firm of Henry Bainbridge & Co. was then formed.

In Mr. Bainbridge the whole stationery trade, especially the younger portion, loses a stanch friend and counsellor. No one took a more lively interest than he in the struggles of a young beginner, and in many ways did he contrive to make the road easy and smooth the difficulties which seemed almost formidable to the anxious and worried novice. He leaves two daughters.

THE BOOKSELLERS' AND STATIONERS' PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION.

AT the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees, held March 26, the following applicants were elected members of the association:

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Fred. Heinrich,
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Chas. T. Lawson,
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J. S. Whitney,
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James Clarke,
R. S. Peale,
F. F. Browne,
I. H. Roby,
Samuel Robinson,
J. V. Streamer,
F. B. Smith,
John C. Lehman,
J. S. Martin.

PHILADELPHIA:—W. B. Saunders; Chas. S. Smith; Henry S. Smith.

BOSTON:—Wm. A. Davis.

CLEVELAND:—Harris B. Burrows.

BALTIMORE:—F. C. Philbrick,

MT. STERLING, ILL.:—R. S. Fenn.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.:—Frank Simmons.

The association now has an active membership of 745.

A communication was read from Chas. S. J. Phillips, of Messrs. Morton, Phillips & Bulmer, of Montreal, acknowledging the prompt receipt of $557 on account of death claim of his brother, Henry G. Phillips.

J. F. VOGELIUS, *Acting Sec.*

BUSINESS NOTES.

ALBANY, N. Y.—The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of E. H. Bender was dissolved April 1, and a new copartnership formed under the firm name of H. H. Bender, the firm consisting of Messrs. H. H. and E. H. Bender.

BOSTON, MASS.—We are sorry to learn from the Boston *Commonwealth* that the Prang Educational Company is in trouble. George A. Smith has asked that a receiver be appointed for the company, which was formed with a capital of $100,000. Mr. Smith alleges reckless expenditure and illegal conduct on the part of the management.

LAMPASAS, TEX.— S. R. Barnes & Co., booksellers and stationers, have sold out.

LA PORTE, IND.—R. M. Rea & Co., booksellers and stationers, are selling out to C. P. Bartlett.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—J. M. Fisher & Co., booksellers and stationers have dissolved partnership.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—John D. Suter, bookseller and stationer, has taken into partnership S. C. Whitehead, and will continue the business established by him in 1880, under the firm-name of John D. Suter & Co. It is the intention of the new firm to enlarge the business as much as possible and to add a job-printing department.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Orton S. Clark, in the newspaper business for about eighteen years, and Nathaniel McCarthy, for eight years with H. Hotes, of Buffalo, have entered into partnership under the style of Clark & McCarthy, and will open a book and stationery business at 620 Nicollet Avenue.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Reports from New Orleans say that G. T. Lathrop, dealer in books and stationery, has asked an extension. His liabilities are $12,616, and nominal assets, $24,513.

PARIS, KY.—C. B. McCarthy, bookseller, has sold out to M. A. McCarthy.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—E. Claxton & Co., we are sorry to learn, have been compelled to suspend payment. The cause of the suspension is

said to arise from the unfavorable condition of the market. No statement of the liabilities and assets can now be made.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—J. B. Lippincott & Co. have admitted J. Bertram Lippincott as a member of the firm.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Shaw & Swartz, booksellers and stationers, have failed. Liabilities small; will pay in full.

SAN JOSÉ.—J. F. Handley, newsdealer and stationer, has been succeeded by F. A. Taylor.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—The Valley Book and Stationerv Company have made an assignment to John E. McKinney.

SACRAMENTO, CAL.—We are pleased to learn that C. A. Sawtelle, the enterprising bookseller, is building a fine store, which he will occupy this month.

SALT LAKE CITY.—James Dwyer, books, assigned. Liabilities and assets $17,000.

TRAVERSE CITY, MICH.—M. E. Haskell, bookseller and stationer, has sold out to Beecher & Hymer.

TORONTO.—Williamson & Co. announce that they have purchased the stock and goodwill of the firm of Willing & Williamson and that they will continue and develop every branch of the business at 7 and 9 King Street, East.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

Scandinavia, for April, contains an article treating of "Danish and English Composition," in a way especially interesting to American readers.

IT is announced that the further continuance after this year of *Van Nostrand's Engineering Magazine* will "depend very much upon its support for the present year." This magazine is now in its thirtieth volume.

The Journal of Progress, the wood-workers' magazine, published at 907 Arch St., Phila., with each succeeding issue sustains its reputation of being "one of the daintiest, handsomest and most practical of the strictly first-class illustrated trade journals published."

Science has shown commendable enterprise, and has put under obligation, all who are interested in Arctic geography, by printing in its issue for March 28 a remarkably well-executed map of "The Channels North of Baffin Bay between Greenland and North America," compiled from the observations of the latest American and British Arctic expeditions by the U. S. Hydrographic Office, Navy Department, Commander J. R. Bartlett, U.S.N.

THE first number of the *Library Chronicle*, a journal of librarianship and Bibliography, the new organ of the Library Association of the United Kingdom, is to be published this week. Among the contents will be "Librarianship in the Seventeenth Century," by Dr. Richard Garnett; "The Spread of the Free Public Library Movement in 1883," by Mr. H. R. Tedder; and "Popular Libraries of Paris," by Mr. E. C. Thomas. The *Library Chronicle* will henceforth be issued on the 15th of each month, at a subscription price of six shillings a year. The publishers are Messrs. Davy, 137 Long Acre, London.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE JOHN W. LOVELL CO. announce a new American novel entitled "A Fair Device," by C. W. Balestier.

A. D. F. RANDOLPH & CO. announce an American edition of "The Life and Times of Jesus the Messiah," by Alfred Edersheim, D.D.

MACMILLAN & CO. have now ready the excellent "Statesman's Year-Book," which has reached a degree of completeness and reliability that is equalled but by few other publications of this kind.

DODD, MEAD & CO., encouraged by their former ventures in *éditions de luxe*, contemplate issuing an edition of Mrs. Browning's poems, in five volumes, similar to the Keats just published by them.

G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS will publish at once a New York novel having some reference to the Irish question. It is entitled "Thorns in your Sides," and is written by Miss Keyser, author of "On the Borderland."

ROBERTS BROS. have in press a new novel by Miss Maud Howe entitled "The San Rosario Ranch, a Study in Black and White." The scene of the story is California, with occasional glimpses of London and Venice.

W. D. HOWELLS's farce, "The Register," was first published in the *Harper's Magazine* (Christmas number, 1883) and not in the *Atlantic Monthly*, as was inadvertently stated in our notice of the volume in the WEEKLY record of March 22.

ROBERT CLARKE & CO. have in press "Synopsis of Chess Openings," a tabulated analysis, with additions and emendations, by Wm. Cook, edited by J. W. Miller, and a new edition of "The Moneyless Man," and other poems, by Henry T. Stanton.

"DEAR IRENÆUS," wrote Mr. A. D. F. Randolph to Dr. Prime, editor of the New York *Observer*, a few days ago, "when you were a country pastor and I was a boy in a book-store in Nassau Street, there was on the corner of Canal and Laurens Streets (now South Fifth Avenue) a small building, over the doorway of which was a sign, 'Robert Carter, Bookseller.' I am not sure that our friend began his business on that spot, but I do know that on the first of April, 1884, he will have been for fifty years a bookseller and publisher."

R. WORTHINGTON announces for immediate publication a new novel entitled "Professor Conant," by the Hon. L. S. Huntington, Q.C., formerly of Montreal, but now a resident of this city. He was lately Postmaster-General and has been for years a member of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada. He has written a social and political story of English and American life, which is said to be remarkable for well-drawn characters, and to abound in thrilling and romantic scenes. The British Lord woos the American girl and the British statesman panegyrizes the American people. Royal personages, chief magistrates, great lords and ladies familiarly frequent the social pictures of the story, while the dialogue abounds in shrewd and interesting "talks" on social and political topics, English, American and Canadian—which enchance the interest and perhaps disclose the *motifs* of the book.

BOOKS WANTED.

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☞ Copy for this Department must reach us Thursday Morning to be in time for insertion in same week's issue.

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Memoirs of John Quincy Adams, 13 v. *Quote lowest prices.*

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Broken Toys.
From Dawn to Noon. Careleton.
Indian Tribes of North America, by T. L. McHenry and Jas. Hall, pub. in 1848.
One Thousand Miles in Rob Roy Canoe, by McGregor.
Any old or new chess-books.
Churchman, Jan. 12, 1884.
Mullhall's Dict. of Statistics.
Constance Fate. Carleton.
A History of the Iron Trade of U. S., by B. F. French.
Report on the Progress of the Iron and Steel Industries in Foreign Countries, by J. C. E. Derby.
Coal, its History and Uses, ed. by Prof. Thorpe.
Cassell's Mag. of Art, v. 1.
Very Hard Cash. H. S. N., pap.
Blackwood's Mag., May, 1864.

S. E. BRIDGMAN & CO., NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Ida May.
Step by Step, Althen.
Bell's Standard Elocutionist.
Life of Macready, the Actor.

C. N. CASPAR, ANTIQUARIAN BOOKS, MILWAUKEE, WIS.

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100 Barnes, Bf. Hist. U. S., worn or second-hand.
25 Bryant, C. S., Bookkeeping, "
25 Graham, Phonography, "
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25 Pitman, Pannography, "
25 Swinton, Outlines of Hist., "
100 Webster's Dict., School ed., "
Harper's Monthly. 3 copies, June, Aug., Oct., Nov., July, Sept., Dec., 1850; Dec., 1861.

H. D. CHAPIN, MADISON & DEARBORN STS., CHICAGO.

Forest and Stream, v. 6, No. 23, 24; v. 7, No. 11 to 26, inclusive; v. 8, No. 1 to 10, inclusive, No. 25; v. 9, Nos. 9, 10, 14, 20, 23; v. 10, Nos. 1 to 26.

JAS. W. CHRISTOPHER, 47 DEY ST., N. Y.

American Monthly Review (Boston, 1833), v. 4, or first No. in v.
Western Monthly Magazine, 1835, v. 4.

ROBERT CLARKE & CO., CINCINNATI.

Fisher's Patent Cases, v. 1 and 2.
Upton's Review of Judge Story on the Constitution.
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Ancient Symbol Worship, by Westropp and Wake.

CUPPLES, UPHAM & CO., 283 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON.

Nat, the Navigator.
Boys of Grand Prè School.
Lost in Fog.
Five in Woods.

E. DARROW & CO., ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Childhood of the World, by Clodd.
History of Norwalk, Conn.
Vol. 3 Ingersoll's History of the Second War of the United States.
Spofford's American Almanac, 1880, cl.
Martin's Statesmen's Year-Book, 1879.

DE WOLFE, FISKE & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

The Hand of Jesus, by Rev. J. Chaplin, D.D.
Little Addie Series, 12 v., pub. by A. F. Graves, Boston.

DODD, MEAD & CO., N. Y.

Bartlett's Scotland, an original copy.
Hayes, Arctic Stories.
Lanfrey's Napoleon. Eng. ed., Macmillan & Co.
Philip the Second, 3d v. Phillips & Sampson ed.
Windsor Farmes, Glimpse of an Old Parish.
Life of Louise Queen of Prussia, Kluckholm.
England from a Back Window.
2 copies Mother Truth.
Universal Historical Atlas, ed. by James Sheahan. Warren, Cockroft & Co., 1873.
Records of Jesus Reviewed and 500 Questions asked. Burnham.
Reynard the Fox. large illus. ed., with Goethe's name on title-page.
H. B. Smith's Review of Draper.
Nicholas Nickleby, v. 1 and 4. } All in H. H. ed., green
Hard Times. } vellum cloth.
Little Dorritt. }
The President's Words: Extracts from the Speeches of Lincoln.
No. 967 of *The Nation*.
Gray's Botany, 4th ed., 1863.

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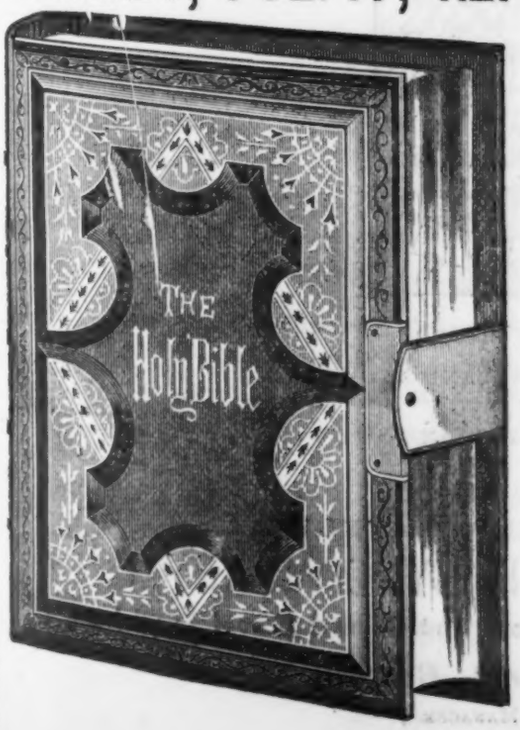

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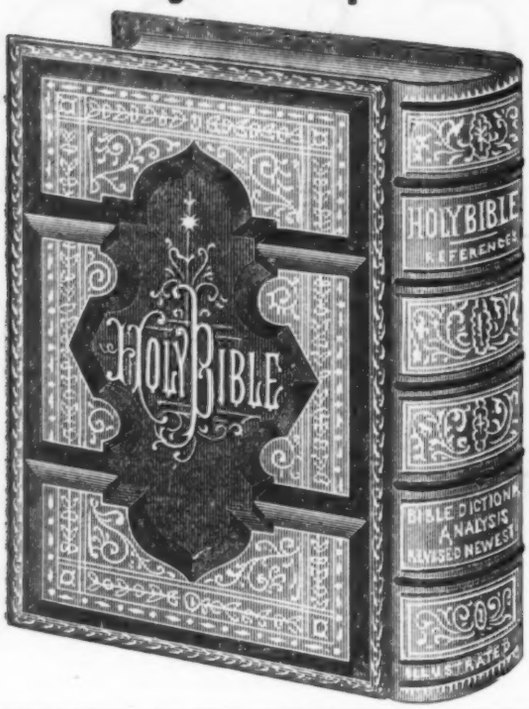

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